

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Child and Family Services Agency



**DETERMINATION AND FINDINGS
FOR A
SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT**

CONTRACT NO: DCRL-2020-R-0140
CAPTION: CFSA Organizational Infrastructure Improvement Project FY-21
PROPOSED CONTRACTOR: Sivic Solutions Group, LLC. (SSG)
PROGRAM AGENCY: DC Child and Family Services Agency

FINDINGS

1. AUTHORIZATION:

DC Official Code § 2-354.04, 27 DCMR 1304 & 1702.

2. MINIMUM NEED:

The Child and Family Services Agency (CFSA) has a continued need for the current contractor referenced above to continue providing expert technical assistance and strategic support to sustain the successful continuation of CFSA's compliance, provision, and claiming of Title IV-E Foster Care, Adoption Assistance and Guardianship subsidies, and Medicaid. The proposed contract will be for a period of one year from the date of award with up to four (4) one-year options.

3. ESTIMATED REASONABLE PRICE:

\$366,000.00

4. FACTS THAT JUSTIFY SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT:

- (a) The proposed contractor, Sivic Solutions Group, LLC., owns the intellectual property rights of these products and is the sole distributor and operator of these products.
- (b) The RMS system which is currently in use must remain fully operational without interruption, which would require continued services from Sivic Developers, their operations and help desk staff that is located in Utica and, New York
- (c) The proposed contractor is very aware of the services to be provided, is very capable of performing these services, and is currently performing these services.

5. CERTIFICATION BY AGENCY HEAD:

I hereby certify that the above findings are true, correct and complete.

Acting Director, CFSA

Date

6. CERTIFICATION BY CONTRACTING OFFICER:

I have reviewed the above findings and certify that they are sufficient to justify the use of the sole source method of procurement under the cited authority. I certify that the notice of intent to award a sole source contract was published in accordance with 27 DCMR 1304 and that no response was received. I recommend that the Chief Procurement Officer approve the use of the sole source procurement method for this proposed contract.

Agency Chief Contracting Officer

Date

DETERMINATION

Based on the above findings and in accordance with the cited authority, I hereby determine that it is not feasible or practical to invoke the competitive solicitation process under either Section 402 or 403 of the District of Columbia Procurement Practices Reform Act of 2010 (D.C. Law 18-371; D.C. Official Code § 2-354.02 or 2-354.03). Accordingly, I determine that the District is justified in using the sole source method of procurement.

Agency Chief Contracting Officer

Date